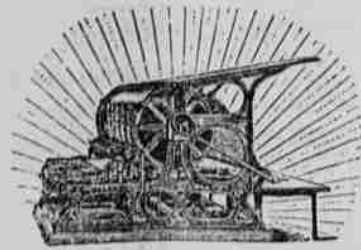


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 69 Main Street. Office hours 7 to 9 a. m.,
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 Office, Union Block, Danville, Vt.
 Office hours, 12 to 130 p. m., 6 to 7 p. m.

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 Office and residence, 113 Eastern Avenue,
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 Office and residence, 113 Eastern Avenue,
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 Ear, Nose, Throat and Chest specialty.
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 Office hours until 9 a. m.; 1 to 2 and 7 to 8
 p. m.
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MISS NELLIE C. TYLER,
 Trained Nurse.
 Graduate of the Maine General Hospital.
 No. 4 Highland Ave., St. Johnsbury, Vt.

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 Attorney at Law.
 Bank Block, over Post Office, St. Johnsbury.

BATES & MAY,
 Attorneys at Law.
 59 Eastern Ave., St. Johnsbury.

FARNHAM & PORTER,
 Attorneys at Law.
 Collections a specialty.
 Railroad Street, St. Johnsbury, Vt.

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 17½ Church Street, St. Johnsbury, Vt.

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 I am prepared to do dressmaking and will
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 Pianos and Organs tuned and repaired.
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 Special attention given to Repairing, Re-
 regulating and Voicing. Orders by mail or
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 The Best.
 W. C. LEWIS, Agent.
 St. Johnsbury, Vermont.

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 Fire, Life and Accident Insurance.
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FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE
 In the best companies. In advance placed at
 short notice. FRANCIS SWITZER.
 28 Cliff Street, St. Johnsbury, Vt.

MOORE & CO.,
 Insurance Agents and Dealers in Coal.
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LYMAN S. HOOKER
 Solely Machine Job Work. Light ma-
 chinery and model work a specialty.
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 Machinists.
 Piping and Steam Engine Repairing.
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 Railway and Steamship Tickets to All
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 Boston & Maine Ticket Office,
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 Watchmaking, Pharmacy, Optical Work.
 Drugs, Medicines, Watches, Silverware.

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 Plans and Specifications furnished on appli-
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J. H. PERHAM, C. E.
 Drafting office, Scale works,
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C. F. GIBBS,
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 Cut Flowers and Floral Designs.
 For sale at all seasons of the year on short
 notice. For immediate attention order by
 telephone, telephone or special delivery.

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 T. Rickaby.
 No Collection, No Charge.
 Music Hall, St. Johnsbury, Vt.

NEW ADS. THIS WEEK.

Republican Town Caucus.
 Girl Wanted—12 Main Street.
 Announcement—J. C. Rigler.
 Scientific Remedies—F. H. Bros.
 Tenement to Rent—E. D. Flete.
 Mark Downs—E. D. Steacie & Co.
 Cash Trading Cards—F. O. Clark.
 Interesting Facts—C. E. Simanton.
 Workers—Harbour's Business College.
 Probate of Will—Edward Lynch's Est.
 Ready made Clothing—Wilson & King.
 X Rays Chimney—Scott & Underwood.
 Pure Pops for Sale—Mt. Vernon Street.
 Annual Statement—L. J. Eldridge, Agent.
 Presentation of Act—Chas D. Jones Est.
 First in Everything—Vt. Farm Machine Co.

FRATERNITY MEETINGS.

Knight of Pythias.
 Regular convention of Apollo Lodge No. 2,
 will be held Tuesday, Feb. 15. Work in
 Regalia and Knight ranks. Balloting on ap-
 plications.
 W. W. HESBAND, C. C.
 HENRY W. ELLIS, K. R. S.

WEATHER RECORD.
 At Bingham's Drug Store, for the week
 ending February 10, 1897.

	Highest	Lowest
Thursday	22	5
Friday	25	12
Saturday	33	8
Sunday	42	32
Monday	37	32
Tuesday	30	32
Wednesday	18	5

—Indicates below zero.

LOCAL GATHERINGS.

—H. F. Cox dropped a finger in the saw-
 dust last Monday while chopping wood.

—At the present time there are 19
 inmates at the town farm, a larger num-
 ber than usual.

—Mrs. Mary R. P. Hatch has a story in
 the Independent, finely written and
 well worth reading.

—The Golden Cross will give a sheet
 and pillow case party in Pythian hall
 next Friday evening.

—At the business meeting of the St.
 Johnsbury orchestra Tuesday evening E.
 D. Gorham was elected manager.

—The promenade concert by Harmony
 band in the Stanley Opera House last
 evening was well attended and much
 enjoyed.

—Jones & Shield's furniture shop is
 running on eight hours time and will
 probably continue so until business is
 more brisk.

—The subject of the Christian science
 service at 18 Pearl street next Sunday is
 "The power of truth to deliver from im-
 prisonment."

—At the annual meeting of the West
 End Magazine club, held with W. H.
 Sargent Monday evening, Mr. Sargent
 was re-elected secretary.

—Mrs. Alice Freeman Palmer, under
 the auspices of the Woman's club, will
 give an address in Athenaeum hall at 8
 o'clock this evening. The lecture is free.

—In another column is published the
 notice for a republican town caucus to
 nominate officers for the March meeting.
 The time is Tuesday, Feb. 16, at 2 p. m.,
 in Town hall.

—The Burke Historical society held its
 annual meeting in the G. A. R. hall, West
 Burke, Wednesday. Major Bowman
 and wife and one or two others from
 here attended.

—From all sources come reports of the
 prevalence of severe cases of grip colds.
 In some instances entire families are
 prostrated and many cases have proved
 to be of a serious nature.

—There will be a miniature circus in
 Stanley's Opera house this evening and
 tomorrow evening. A company of 14
 tumblers, trapeze performers, etc., all
 artists in their line, will give a perform-
 ance.

—At the meeting of the Pythian Build-
 ing association Monday evening the fol-
 lowing directors were elected: N. P.
 Bowman, O. H. Henderson, George Ran-
 ney, Crawford Ranney, C. P. O. Tinker,
 E. N. Randall and S. D. Atwood. The
 earnings this year go to reduce the in-
 debtedness.

PERSONALS.

A. D. Pike is in Boston this week on a
 business trip.

A. L. Bailey was in Boston this week
 on a short business trip.

L. G. Spencer is confined to the house
 with an attack of the grip.

Frank Harris leaves Monday for a two
 weeks' vacation in Boston.

Mrs. Kelley of Boston is visiting her
 sister, Mrs. Lorenzo Salloway.

Elisha May was confined to the house
 several days this week with a bad cold.

Miss Martha Tyrie, who has been quite
 seriously ill for a few weeks, is now con-
 valescing.

Miss Sadie Batchelder left Saturday for
 Barnardston, Mass., where she will visit
 her brother.

The many friends of Miss Carrie Braley
 will be glad to hear that she is now said
 to be improving.

Lucius Hazen was out Saturday for
 the first time since his illness and is gain-
 ing strength rapidly.

Charles K. Chadwick of Ashland, Ky.,
 is spending a few days with his mother,
 Mrs. A. G. Chadwick.

H. N. Turner was in Montpelier Tues-
 day on business connected with the
 Tennessee centennial commission.

Judge L. H. Thompson of Irasburgh
 and Lawyer Joseph P. Lamson of Cabot
 were in town the first of the week.

Walter Cook returned Tuesday to San
 Francisco, after visiting his father,
 William Cook for a couple of weeks.

B. Frank Harris was in Boston over
 Sunday. His place as organist at the
 South church was filled by M. H. Eddy.

Mrs. L. M. Allis, who has been visiting
 her daughter, Mrs. A. L. Hardy, for
 some time, returns this week to Brook-
 field.

John C. Thompson has gone to Massa-
 chusetts with his grandchildren, who
 have been spending several weeks in St.
 Johnsbury.

Mrs. Charles Peck has been in Boston
 for several days. Mrs. Abbie McNeil
 sang in her place in the South church
 choir Sunday.

Miss Helen McNamara, for about 10
 years a clerk in E. N. Randall's store, has
 resigned her position and will finish
 work this week.

Pearl P. Blodgett, formerly of this
 town, is spending a few days with his
 father and receiving a cordial greeting
 from his many friends.

Lawyer L. P. Slack has been confined
 to the house for a week or so with a sore
 foot, but by handling the injured member
 with care is now able to be out.

Mrs. W. L. Kinney and Miss Ida Pen-
 niman entertained a party of friends
 with whist at Mrs. Kinney's residence on
 Spring street last Friday evening.

Miss Eleanor Gertrude Stevens, who
 has been confined to her room since the
 first of January on account of sickness,
 was out yesterday for the first time.

F. J. Boynton of Boston, auditor of the
 New England Telephone and Telegraph
 company was in town this week, audit-
 ing the telephone exchange accounts.

Frank H. Brooks of the state Y. M. C.
 A. committee and Secretary E. B. Read
 attended the meeting of the Y. M. C. A.
 secretaries at White River Junction yester-
 day and today.

John Moore, mail carrier, sprained his
 ankle last Monday in getting out of a
 sleigh and enjoyed a short vaca-
 tion. Substitute W. E. Kellogg dis-
 tributed the mail on his route.

Loren W. Young was confined to his
 bed a few days last week but was up
 again Saturday. Though Mr. Young is
 92 years old it takes more than a slight
 ailment to keep him long in bed.

Albert Gale had an operation performed
 on his ankle last Saturday. He had been
 troubled with the ankle for several years
 on account of a sprain. The operation
 will probably remove the difficulty.

Miss Ethel Abbott left yesterday for
 Boston where she will resume her musical
 studies and will be away until the first
 of May. She has resigned her position
 in the Methodist church choir and her
 place will be filled for the present by
 Mrs. David Williams.

A. F. Stone sailed from New York for
 foreign shores Sunday morning, the boat
 being delayed a day on account of the
 recent storms. He is now well across
 the waters and probably has, according
 to a speaker at the farewell banquet,
 made his "contributions to the Atlantic."

There are 116 passengers on the boat.
 John A. Moore, the veteran clothing
 dealer, with his wife and son Joe, leave
 Monday for Lakewood, N. J., where they
 will stay till the first of May. Mr. Moore
 was there two years ago this time and
 came back with 33 pounds more flesh
 than he took away. He hopes to do the
 same thing this year and a large number
 of friends also hope that he will.

Miss Louise Bartlett, the Athenaeum
 librarian, attended the meeting of the
 New England Library association at
 Hartford, Conn., last week. She reported
 that in two years 30 libraries had been
 established in Vermont in towns of less
 than 1,000 inhabitants. Miss Bartlett

also attended last week a meeting of the
 State Library commission in Burlington.

Miss M. G. Tyler attended a meeting of
 the Vermont Botanical society in Bur-
 lington last week and delivered a paper
 on which the Free Press thus comments:

"Herbarium Making" was discussed in
 an interesting paper by Miss Martha G.
 Tyler of the Fairbanks Museum, St.
 Johnsbury. To the untrained observer
 the herbarium is not an attractive sight,
 but to a botanist it is a fund of knowl-
 edge. Collecting the specimens, labeling
 and the use of the notebook were each
 treated."

Milo Kendall of St. Paul Park, Minn.,
 is visiting friends in this town and vicin-
 ity. Mr. Kendall was a former employee
 in the scale shops here and has worked
 for the company in New York and St.
 Paul. He left this town 16 years ago.
 For 11 years he has had charge of all the
 scales on the Northern Pacific railroad,
 about 5,000 miles of road. Along the
 road there are 80 truck scales, all but
 five of the Fairbanks make. The road
 has a large number of small scales and
 the great majority of these are Fairbanks.
 Mr. Kendall reports business in the west
 as reviving, but in a very slow way.

Dr. George F. Cheney returned Tuesday
 morning from a two weeks' trip to
 Chicago, where he attended the annual
 meeting of the Chicago Dental society
 and read a paper on "Sensitive Dentine."
 He was the only representative from
 New England. There were a thousand
 dentists there from different parts of the
 country and several days were happily
 spent in discussing new methods of filling
 holes in people's teeth. The doctor re-
 ports a pleasant trip, barring a slight
 accident near Detroit where the train
 plunged up the ties for a short distance,
 and an interesting and profitable meeting.

Village Bonds Sold.—The bids for the
 \$20,000 funding bonds of this village
 were opened by the trustees at 12 m.
 Wednesday. Below is a list of the bids:

Bidder.	Rate.	Premium.
S. A. Keen, Chicago,	\$100.125	\$25.00
Diez, Dennison & Prior,		
Boston,	100.875	175.50
Abram White, New York,	101.10	220.00
W. J. Hazen & Son,		
Boston,	101.407	281.40
Leland, Towle & Co.,		
Geo. A. Fernald & Co.,	101.537	307.40
Boston,	101.57	314.00
E. H. Rollins & Son,	102.139	427.00
N. W. Harris & Co.,	102.82	564.00
National Life Insurance		
Co., Montpelier, Vt.,	103.87	774.00

The bonds were awarded to the Na-
 tional Life Insurance Co. of Montpelier
 at a price which will require the village
 to pay three and 60/100 per cent per
 annum on the average life of the bonds.

A Good Show.—The second entertain-
 ment in Stanley Opera house by the St.
 Johnsbury Concert company was
 attended by a crowded house, and all
 were more than paid for going. Miss
 Josie Mitchell Vickers is a bright so-
 phomore, and her singing gave excellent
 satisfaction. The skit dancing by
 Misses Peck and Brock was prettily
 done and Comedian Frank French was
 at his best. The trapeze work by Prof.
 and Mme. Bonette cannot be excelled,
 many of their feats being new and origi-
 nal with them. The orchestra did their
 usual good work and the other numbers
 on the programme were well carried out.
 Mme. Bonette won the gold medal in the
 side for life act. A dance, largely
 attended, followed the entertainment.

New Lectures.—At Grace Methodist
 church next Sunday evening, Rev. Mr.
 Tyrie will begin a new series of Sunday
 evening addresses to young people. The
 topics will be as follows:
 Feb. 14. The Cry of a Broken-Hearted
 King.
 Feb. 21. The Question of a Perplexed
 Governor.
 Feb. 28. An Imperative Which Star-
 tled a Jewish Teacher.
 March 7. The Hidden Treasure and the
 Precious Pearl.
 March 14. The Wedding Feast and
 the Wedding Robe.
 March 21. A Roman Judge Trembling
 Before a Jewish Prisoner.
 March 28. A Midnight Cry That
 Startled Ten Sleepers.

More than 25 conversions occurred at
 the Sunday evening services in January.

Found the Bullet.—The great use-
 fulness of the X rays was demonstrated last
 Saturday under the direction of Prof.
 Brackett. Harley Boyce of Monroe, N.
 H., recently had a revolver discharge in
 his pocket and the bullet lodged in his leg.
 The surgeons were unable to locate the
 bullet. Saturday the young man came up
 here and Prof. Brackett turned on the
 X-rays with great success, discovering
 the bullet and enabling the physician to
 easily remove it. The plate was placed
 above the knee under the leg and exposed
 to the rays 40 minutes. When the plate
 was finished it revealed the bullet about
 two inches from where the doctors had
 been probing for it. Mr. Brackett is
 doing some excellent work with the
 X-rays. He intends soon to obtain a
 fluoroscope and will then have a first
 class equipment.

Academy Notes.—The Juniors had a
 class ride to West Concord last Saturday.

Miss Granger ex-'96, and Miss Locke
 '96, visited the Academy Tuesday.

Guy Abbott went to White River Jun-
 ction Wednesday as representative from
 this school to make arrangements for
 the interscholastic meet to be held at
 Dartmouth.

The reception of the Middle class
 takes place at the Academy this evening.

Address by Mrs. Palmer.—The edu-
 cation committee of the Woman's Club
 have been so fortunate as to secure Mrs.
 Alice Freeman Palmer for an address.
 The first plan was for Mrs. Palmer to
 address a special meeting of the club.
 But the committee felt it would be a pity
 to shut out any who wished to hear her.
 They have therefore arranged for a meet-
 ing this evening at eight o'clock in Ath-
 enaeum Hall to which the public are most
 cordially invited. Mrs. Palmer was for
 several years president of Wellesley col-
 lege, and more recently has been con-
 nected with Chicago university. She
 will speak on matters of educational in-
 terest and no one in all the land speaks
 on these themes more charmingly or with
 more authority than she. Mrs. Palmer
 takes as her subject, "The duty of the
 citizen to the public school."

A Big Real Estate Deal.—The report
 was current last week that L. D. Hazen
 had sold all of his Miles Pond property
 to W. L. Russell and R. A. McKelvey.
 The report was true, though a little
 hitch in the proceedings prevented the
 execution of the trade until Monday
 evening. The trade includes about
 4000 acres of land, nearly 15 buildings
 and saw mill, and the consideration is
 \$10,000. Mr. Hazen takes Mr. Russell's
 residence in Summerville in part pay-
 ment. This tract of land has fur-
 nished a large amount of spruce
 timber in the past years. Only hard
 wood lumber now remains, but there
 is a good quantity of this. Russell
 & McKelvey will keep the mills running,
 and the lumber business will continue to
 be lively at Miles Pond.

A Good Time.—They must have had a
 good time at the Epworth League meet-
 ing at the Methodist vestry last Mon-
 day evening. There was a very large
 attendance and the following varied and
 interesting programme was presented:
 Paper on "Red Cross society," Miss
 Nellie Hill; solo, "In the Shepherd's
 Fold," Miss Blanche Miles; paper on
 "King's Daughters," Miss Nellie Carr;
 reading, "The Railway Matinee," Mr.
 Daley; violin solo, "Oriental Perumes,"
 J. C. Stevens; "Different forms of national
 handshaking," by the League. Follow-
 ing this, came a series of shadow panto-
 mimes and progressive spelling, which
 provoked a good deal of mirth. The
 programme was in charge of Miss Carrie
 Sargent and Carl Turner. Miss Carr
 and Miss Bradley presided at the piano.
 Six new members were elected and five
 applications for membership received.

St. Johnsbury Boy Promoted.—W.
 W. Morse, son of Rev. C. F. Morse of
 this place